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1. Large shops belonging to the Paged firm, which firm began operations prior to WW-II and is still in business as a state company, are located north of the Oksywie (Q55/Thh) military harbor in the NW part of the port.* In the area occupied by the Paged firm two barns (sic) have been constructed about 400 meters from the Doly Ostrowickie, site of naval stores of bombs, mines, to pedoes, guns and other materiel. Underground pipelines, 600 meters in length, extend directly from these barns to large underground stores of liquid fuel at Obluze**. The fuel, which is transported from Szczecin to Oksywie on the Polish tankers RYSY and TURNIA, is unloaded at the Paged landing stage, from where it is pumped underground by pumps in the barns to the underground storage tanks.

In addition to the pipeline between Obluze and the military harbor, there is an independent, underground pipeline, the mouth of which lies near a mole beguing the Germans during WW-II but not completed. The mole is intended for use as a wartime refuelling point for navy ships but is not being atilized at present. The existence of pumps near the mole at Oksywie for purping fuel to Obluze could not be confirmed.

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It is expected that the Paged firm is going to be forced out since the entire Oksywie military harbor area including the buildings is to be taken over by the navy. There are even indications that the entire area from Oksywie to Babie Doly, including the Babie Doly airfield, a large, modern installation near which are located the barracks of the Third Polish Fighter Regiment, is to be confiscated by the navy.

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A branch railroad also runs from the Paged firm to the barns; the construction of the barns and railroad was not observed.

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t the naval port in Oksywie draws fuel from Obluze by means of the pipeline opening by the mole; this does not make mention of the fact that the mole is incomplete either.

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